



Docket No.: 1761.1005

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Takashi HOSOYA, et al.

Serial No. 09/995,678

Group Art Unit: 3679

Confirmation No. 1021

Filed: November 29, 2001

Examiner: Kenneth L. THOMPSON

For: CONSTANT VELOCITY UNIVERSAL JOINT

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 1, 2003, and having a period for response set to expire on November 1, 2003. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to December 1, 2003.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

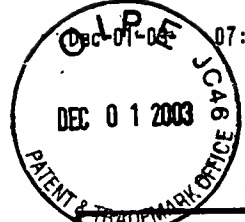
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REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL	Attorney Docket No.	1761.1005	
	Application Number	09/995,678	
	Filing Date	November 29, 2001	
	First Named Inventor	Takashi HOSOYA, et al.	
	Group Art Unit	3679	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	110.00	Examiner Name	Kenneth L. THOMPSON

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)					
CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	20	- 20 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	- 3 =	0	X \$ 86.00 =	0.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of , petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 months					110.00
If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$320.00)					
If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)					
Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)					
Total of above Calculations =					\$ 110.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)					
TOTAL FEES DUE =					\$ 110.00
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

SUBMITTED BY: STAAS & HALSEY LLP			
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